Constable J. H. Gobbell Now A Married Man

On Xmas Day Pledged Himself to Support Miss Ruby Nave Through Life

On Christmas day at 10 o'clock Rev. Leslie Robeson was the officiating party in a marriage ceremony that made J. H. Gobbell and Miss Ruby Nave man and wife. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Gobbell drove through the country to Vernon, where they boarded the evening Frisco train for Fort Cobb, Oklahoma, for a visit with the groom's sisters.

Miss Ruby is one of the town's most popular young ladies, who with her mother, was for some time connected with the Orient Hotel at this place, she also for a year or more, filled successfully a position as operator at the local telephone exchange.

The groom is one of the pioneer citizens of our town, who came to this place when Odell first begun to make her growth, this week that he is making pre and has since been the overseer perations to move to his farm in John Black Moore, After Ar on several important jobs in his Collingsworte county this next line of business, that has made week. He has owned a good Odell a larger town. Three years ago he was elected Constable of this precinct, and has farming the Mrs Florence Fain since filled the office to the satis- place near here; until this fall he faction of the people.

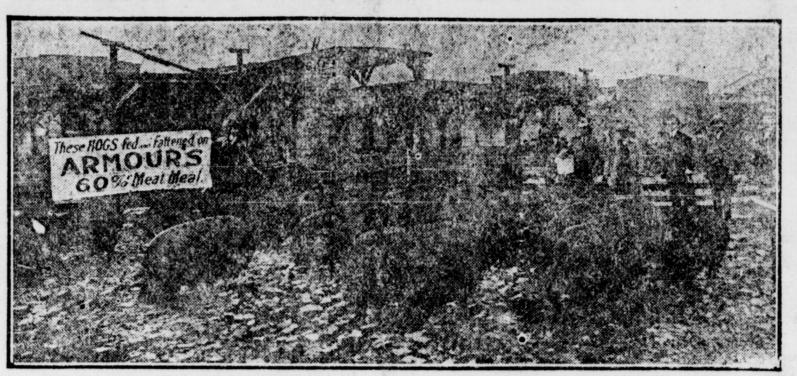
Both these popular young peo- worth place and improve it. ple have many friends in this part of the country, who will join the Reporter in extinding to them their wishes for a long life of health and prosperity together.

Now a Blacksmith

H. C. Turner, formerly a residenter in this part of the country, but who has been engaged in farming near Tolbert the past year or two, was a business visitor at Odell this week and informed the Reporter he is now in the blacksmith business at Tolbert. He has just lately entered into this business and has a fully equipped shop and in enjoying a nice trade.

Let us print your stationery Johnson.

BLUE RIBBON HOGS OF THE WORLD --- TEXAS PORKERS WIN PRIZE



The World's hat is off to the Texas Hog. Competing with the finest products of the corn belt, for generations the prime hog producing region of the world, a magnine int carload of heavies, raised by Robertson Brothers, of Frisco, Collin County, Texas, captured the prize at the International Livestock Show at Chicago. The load also won the grand championship at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show. This victory eloquently tells the world that Texas is no longer the home of the razor-back.

Moving to Collingsworth

W. C. Plunk, one of the country's young and substancial farmers, informed the Reporter farm in that country for some time, but has been engaged in

His wife will be with her mother, Mrs. Fain at Vernon until Mr. Plunk builds a house on their farm and improves it in other ways. The Reporter regrets to learn of this family's move, but hopes their new home in the upper panhandle will prove beneficial to them.

Red River Social Affairs

Both old and young people of the Red community enjoyed a number of socials at the different homes in that neighborhood during the holidays. Among the different families that enter tained were: W. G. Perry, E. C. Austin, W. F. Barnes, R. J. Stowe, M. C. Stowe and Julius

Jackson Springs Farmer Died Tuesday Night

Illness of Two Weeks, Is a Victim Of Appendicitis

We regret this week to chroni- a decided to move to his Collings- cle the death of one of the Jack- C son Springs community's prominent farmers, J. B. Moore. which occured at his home, Tuesday, December 30th, after an 1 illness of two weeks. He was I the son of J. W. Moore and wife, A and besides this aged couple, he I leaves a brother, two sisters, a c wife and two children to mourn f his loss.

> Mr. Moore was a man of twenty seven years of age at the time of his death, which was of no surprise to his relatives and friends, as he endured a great amount of suffering after he fell a victim to appendicitis.

> His remains were followed by a large host of friends from here and his neighborhood, to where he was laid to rest at the Pleasant Valley Cemetery Wednesday evening. The bereaved relatives and friends have the deepest sympathy of the Reporter in the \ time of trouble.

Ham---Carpender

Rev. Leslie Robeson was called to Doans Christmas day, where he united in the holy be ds of wedlock, Willie Ham and Miss Winnie Carpender. Both are popular young people of that country and have numerous friends in the county who wishes them a successful married life.

Atttending the wedding from Vernon were: J. H. Watts, wife and two sons Clyde and Roy, relatives of the groom. The newly wedded couple have the best wishes of the Reporter.

J. N. Braddy who lately moved his family from Robtow back to his farm near Doals, was in town Monday trading.

Has Hopes For The Kansas City, Mexico & Orient

London Millionaire Expects lo See Road's Affairs Untangled During Coming Year

Kansas City, Mo. Dec. 29. Frederick Hurdle, London millionare and representative of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railroad bondholder's committee hopes that the tangle in the affairs of the road will be unravel in 1014 and the road taken out of the receivership.

Mr. Hurdle came to Kansas City today to confer with the attorneys and discuss plans for refinancing the road and finishing it to Kansas City. The plans contemplate the infusing \$15,000,000 of new capit, the project. The bond and the holders of the s the construction compat ready have agreed on a reorganization. It now on the financial plans.

"I look for a great ch the business and financi Miss Virgie Britton, the latter tions of this country is

Coal and feed Business

Godbey-Britton Wedding

On Christmas eve day at

Crowell, Rev. Davis of the

Methodist denomination, united

in marriage, E. D. Godbey and

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Don't forget us we are still in the Coal and feed

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Business

"The Satisfactory Coal Dealers"

Nissley Creamery Company

of Fort Worth, Texas Have opened up a cash cream station with Webb Bros. Grocery Co.

And will guarantee the highest market price for your butter fat. Why churn your butter when you can have a market to sell your cream the year around. Bring in your cream and we will talk ver and show you how we test cream.

Bring your cream on Tu and Fridays

Webb Brothers

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All advertisements will be run until ordered out.

Announcements

For Tax Collector: R. V. PARR

Write it 1914

Saturday December the 27th was President Wilson's 57th birthday

Odell is given up to be situ ted in the most fertile portion of Wilbarger.

The merchants of the town eak of enjoying a good busi s during the holidays

he farmers of the country make preperations for planttheir 1914, crop, under far e favorable conditions than did this time last year.

The Paragon Barber Shop

articular eople atronize the aragon

First class Tailor Shop in connection.

Also Agents for Amarillo Steam Laundry. Tompkins &

Belcher, Props. In Old Drug Store Building

The Reporter ask for the cooperation of the entire people of the town and the surrounding country in helping to make Odell a larger and better Odell this

As the old year passes out and the new year is ushered in, let us all strive to forget what ever enimity, ill will or injury we hold towards our neighbors, and carry in its place love and friendship for them.

After a two week vacation from their books, which was

granted the school children of the County on account of the meeting of Wilbargers County Teachers Institute and the holidays, the different schools of the county opened Monday and they again took up their studies.

Not withstanding the fact that the general opinion of the business world everywhere now is, that we are living under stressed circumstances, with all indications of the scarcity of the coin producing much harder times, Harry A. Wheeler, President of the National Chamber of Commerce, comes forth with the statement, "that there is every cause for a conserative optimism in the business world. "The business ontlook for 1914," says Mr. Wheeler, is better than fair, merchandise stock throughout the country are below, rather than above normal and liquida tions has preceded during the the last year to the extent of making the general business out look much more promising than it was a year ago.

The Value of Suggestion

Humanity is a slave to its wants, and oftimes at the expense of its needs. As a rule desire rather than actual necesity, governs buying. Create trite and true, and it contains sire and demand always preceed buying, and these elements are the net results of suggestion. The most effective way of glacing the suggestions of your business before the buy ing public is through the col umns of the newspaper. No in vestment can pay larger dividends than money put in advertising space in this paper, and as a business buider it has

The Golden Egg

Many theories have been advanced as to the egg famine and many plans devised for the purpose of restoring this barnyard product to normal price. Uncle Sam investigated the cold storage monopoly and the housewives the nation over have organized boycott leagues, but the purchasing price to the ultimate consumer continues to increase. Eggs are a commodity whose value is fixed in the hen house and not on the breakfast table nor at the cold storage plant. When Queen Biddy is properly fed and housed, the laying sea son will be every month in the year and the barnyard will be come the distributing center for the world's greatest food pro

Kodak finishing neatly done at the "Vernon Studio" successor to Smith Studio.

Webb Bros.

Livery, Feed and Sale Stable

First Class Rigs and Careful Drivers at all times. Odell, Texas

A DOMO Separator is easy to clean, gets all the caeam and doesn't cost much. Swartwood & Co. Vernon.

The Woman's Tenic

FOR SALE AT ALL DRIGGISTS

Don't Forget

The Texas Wagon Yard and Grocery Store, when in Vernon, nice fresh Groceries at COME AND Low Prices. FIGURE WITH US.

BARNFIELD & WHITE Props. Vernon, Texas

Dr. A. S. Kerley

DENTIST

In Odell every second and fourth Thursdays in each

Hughes Would Die, But One Helped Him to Recovery.

Pomeroyton, Ky .- In interesting advices from this place, Mr. A. J. Hughes Draught has done for me." writes as follows: "I was down with stomach trouble for five (5) years, and found a very valuable medicine for dewould have sick headache so bad, at rangements of the stomach and liver. It times, that I thought surely I would die. is composed of pure, vegetable herbs,

I tried different treatments, but they contains no dangerous ingredients, and did not seem to do me any good.

and all my friends, except one, thought I kept in every family chest. would die. He advised me to try Thedford's Black-Draught, and quit Only a quarter.

Majority of Friends Thought Mr. taking other medicines. I decided to take his advice, although I did not have any confidence in it.

> I have now been taking Black-Draught for three months, and it has cured mehaven't had those awful sick headaches since I began using it.

I am so thankful for what Black-

Thedford's Black-Draught has been acts gently, yet surely. It can be freely I got so bad, I could not eat or sleep, used by young and old, and should be

Get a package today.

W. T COLLINS. President

L. G. HAWKINS, Vice-President



You can't keep up without a Bank Account. The march of time adds to the value of but one thing---Money placed in the bank. All else decays before it. Time. SAVE your money and put it in

The Bank of Odell

W. P. Starr, Cashier. "Let us be your Bankers"

The City Barber and Tailor Shop

To our Friends and Customers

Please accept our thanks for your patronage the past year, and a continuance of the same will be very much appreciated. Hoping you, one and all

A Happy and Prosperous New Year

We are, yours truly,

City Barber and Tailor Shop R L. MAYFIELD, Prop.

FLOUR

Being one of the staple articles of life, and also one that a large majority of the people eat three times a day.

We have decided to put before you the best goods for the lowest money we can, so we want you to come to our store ONE TIME and give us a trial on

IMPERIAL FLOUR WEBB BROTHERS

Dealers in Staple and Fancy Groceries Country Produce Bought and Sold ODELL, TEXAS PHONE 33



SEAL FLOUR

Solves the problem at baking hour

For sale by J. R. Huie & Company

Dealers in everything good to eat.

Agents for Chase & Sanborn's High Grade Coffee

Poem Composed by Rev. Glaud R. Kuykendall, While Engageed In a Meeting Here Recently

Another day has passed. Another night has come: Thus does Eternity bear us on Unto our final home.

Yea for none does she hesitate. But rushes them one and all:

Rapidly through the waiting gate Beyond the dividing wall.

Ah, see them rushing here and there, Men and women and children fair;

Traveling ever, onward along, Some with a frown,

Some with a song. All making up the busy throng.

What part friend,

In this drama do you play, As you are passing along this way? Some have come and some have gone,

Time relentlessly bears them on. Through this raging season of strife,

On beyond this present life. Be he evil or be he good,

Not long can he tarry though he would. Oh time so insistent, rushing on,

Never tarrying or idling along. On then, if thou must,

Haste on in thy way! And bear us soon to that bright day.

Yea, see on before us, The day is at hand!

Then bear us onward

To dwell with the grand. Then rapid and faster,

Oh time, wilt thou fly,

Until we shall dwell,

With the one who did die. To make us free from the power of sin, Who shall conquer all enemies:

And the great Victory win. Then come thou Lord Jesus,

Who has promised abundent life, And make an end,

Of all comotion and strife. Oh see! in the heavens,

A Saviour appears, And the nations of the earth.

Give vent to their fears.

But Saints speak with rapture, And praise ye his name,

And publish his goodness, And herald his fame.

But hark to the words,

The angel declares,

And note how the nations, In fear say their prayers.

He speaks with a voice, To be heard by all,

And the wicked rend the air,

With their wails as they fall. The message that he bears,

As he stands on sea and shore,

As one of vast importance,

That "Time shall be no more." Oh now the saints,

Have a glourious resting day,

While the wicked to their place.

From view pass away.

Oh now we meet the loved ones,

Who have gone on before,

That have returned with the Saviour, To dwell with us ever more.

But come, let us unitedly

Render homage to our King.

The one who died and lives again, And eternal life to us did bring,

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost,

Our love for them proclaim,

Start the new year right by subscribing for the Reporter, 1 year for \$1.00

MEAT PACKING LEADING INDESTRY

Growth of Texas Plants Remarkable For many years Texas has held high rank as a livestock producing unit, but only during the past derade has the slaughtering and meat packing business assumed mammoth proportions. From a comparatively small industry ten years ago it has become the leading manufacturing enterprise of the state as measured by the value of products manufactured. in 1900 the nearest approach to a packing house in Texas was a sausage factory. We had four of these plants at that time and their combined annual output had a value of \$42,000. The latest census reports show fourteen slaughtering and meat packing establishments operating in Texas whose yearly production is more than \$42,000,000 in value. This gigantic industry furnishes employment to 4,300 persons, who receive \$2,600,000 annually in salaries and

vestment of \$12,438,500. The packing houses of Texas slaughter 2,000,000 head of livestock annually, which is equivalent to the natural yearly increase and is 20 per cent of our meat animal supply. These animals cost the packers \$37,500,000, while a decade ago animals slaughtered were valued at only \$3,170,000.

wages and represents a capital in-

In number the predominating class of meat animals slaughtered is hogs, the total number killed each year being 940,000, compared with 208,-270 ten years ago. The demand for pork has increased with marked rapidity in Texas during recent years, and last year we consumed \$240,000. 000 more of pork and pork products than we produced.

Beeves and calves rank next to swine in number slaughtered, but the cost of the cattle killed yearly is \$7,-000,000 more than that of the hogs. As Texas is the leading livestock State she also ranks first in number of cattle. We had 6.056,000 head on January 1, 1913. In 1912 the value of beef produced in Texas had a value of \$47,812,000, while the requirement for the year was only \$19,646,000, leaving a surplus of 28.166.000. Our packing houses now slaughter a million head of cattle annually, while ten years ago the killing capacity was only 32,000.

The Texas sheep which at one time was raised only for his wool now has a dual commercial value and his flesh is one of our most delicate edibles. Within a decade the numher of sheep slaughtered at our packing houses has increased more than thirteen fold.

Plain View Items

Cass Crutchfield of Vernon spent Xmas with his parents.

Mrs Z. M. Crutchfield is visiting her daughter Mrs. Homer Henry this week.

The singing given at the home of J. C Lee Sunday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Prof. Brock, who is boarding 6 at W. W. Riddle's, returned Sun 7. day to resume his duties a teach |8. er in our school.

W. M. Riddle and wife, W. W. Riddle anb wife, Mr. Hayes and family and J. C. Lee and family all took dinner with J. R. Grimes Friday.

Thomas Moss and wife, Mrs. 16. William Moss and Mrs. Ellen 17. Walker all of McCaulley visited 18. their parents T. J. Stanford and 19. wife Christmas.

Mr. Ramsy of Jackson Springs 21. moved into his home on one of 22. the J. R. Grimes farms Wednes. 23.

NEW YEARS GREETINGS:

We wish all our friends and customers a happy and prosperous 1914. This ad is for one day. We will be open for business 313 days in 1914, 52 days of the year you should think of something better, 313 days please think of the Odell Lumber Company. We carry a complete stock of High Grade Lumber, Shingles, Sash, Doors, Screens, Moldings, Posts, Brick, Lime, Cement, Paints, Oils and Brushes. Grades the best, prices the lowest. If you was not our customer in 1913, please give us your 1914 business, we will appreciate it and treat you right. Yours for a Happy and Prosperous New Year,

Odell Lbr. Co.

H. B. Turner, Manager

Don't forget us, we are still in the Coal and feed **Business**

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"The Satisfactory Coal Dealers"

day. We welcome Mr. Ramsy 24. and family in our midst.

Isaar Rodgers of Montana and sister of Wheeler County, visited their sister, Mrs Lela Riddle Tuesday, all taking the train at Odell Wednesday to spend a few days with their parents of Benjumin where they will have a family reunion

Standing of Contestants In 36. The \$400 Piano Contest 37.

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Locals and Personals

- A. J. Smith and wife were shopping in town Monday.
- L. B. Kays and wife were shopping in town Tuesday.
- W. H. Hughes was caller at the Reporter office Tuesday.
- J. E. Lutz has eight per cent loans on farm land: Vernon.
- I. M. Fulcher and wife are visiting at Anadarko Oklahoma.
- See J. E. Lutz of Vernon Tex. for farm loans, at eight per cent. S. H. Crossley, of Chillicothe-
- was here on business this week. Quincy Wilson of Chillicothe was in Odell Wednesday on busi-
- aess. Miss Ellen Kendall left today for a two week's visit at Chilli-

cothe.

- L. G. Hamilton of the Doans country was in town Tuesday trading
- W. B. Beach, returned Monday from a business trip to Amarillo.
- See our display of Separators before you buy. Swartwood & Co. Vernon.
- W. T. Gibbins and W. W. Matnews left Wednesday for Fort orth on business.
- W. M. Scott and family took hristmas dinner with relatives Blair, Oklahoma.
- Kodak finishing neatly done the "Vernon Studio" succesto Smith Studio.
- ames W. Leak and wife retives at Vernon.
- W. Matthews and family Christmas day with rela at Olustee Oklahoma.
- mer Fillingim was here this
- with his friends. v. Leslie Robeson filled bis atment at the Big Valley h near Chillicothe Sunday. Huie, returned Wednes Dawson, where he
 - e and family of Verd the families of J. M. Wesse Smith here this
 - B. Barnfield and child Monday for a visit Barnfield and family
 - n and wife of Guy. na, are visiting the ents, E. C. Austin
 - and family week into the resi-My vacated by J. D. family.
 - wife and daugh Hie, of Vernon, vismilton and family theholidays.
- le spent Christmas of I Davee and family mai, Mr. Davee accomtime del Monday.
- pson and Lawrence We he ed Tuesday to De goods te up their school ege at that place.
- je Fain after a with her sister nk returned to
- Vernon Monday. Dene and Theresa and Monday morn-PHONE wish's visit with ... Vernon, and -gas teachers in Jackson Springs

- D. M. Kendall and family were guests of Mrs. Kendall parents W. T. Flowers and wife near here Saturday and Sunday.
- J. E Cook one of the well known farmers, of the Jackson Spring community, was seen here Monday attending to busi
- J. E. Hamilton of Roswell, New Mexico, who visited his parents J. P. Hamilton and wife here last week, returned home Fri
- J. D. Beicher and family moved into the Mrs. P.C. Bell residence this week, where they will conduct a boarding house we understand.
- Eldorado, Oklahoma was rep resented by the following citi zens here Wednesday: E. K. Webb, F. M. Wood, and Messers Powers and Chalk.
- Geo. Morrison and wife of Ellis County, are visiting the latter's uncle, C. G. Thompson and family near here, they will probably locate in this country.
- FOR SALE-At my farm two miles south of Odell, thorough bred White Orpington roosters \$1 00 each. N. B. Rucy,
- R 1, Chillicothe, Texas.
- J. P. Smith, who was shaking hands with friends here last week, left instructions at the Reporter office for his paper to be sent to Amarillo.
- John Lunsford and wife of aed Tuesday from a visit with Doans, were here Monday to meet their two daughters, Misses Madie and Belle, who returned that day from a visit at Knox City.
- Fred Huchinson, with the k from Aspement, shaking Braddy Neeley people at Ama rillo, visited friends here the last of the week, returning to his city in the upper panhandle
 - Mrs. Callie Cook of the city, was a pleasant coller at the Reporter office Tuesday, leaving inristmas with his parstructions for the Reporter to be sent a year to her son, T. K. Sanderson at Dustin, Okla.
 - Geo. W. Newton and family are making preperations to move out to the B. D. Smith farm east of town. Alf Spivy and family lived on the same farm last year, but will cultivate one of the H. A. Bell farms another year.
 - R. A. January returned Monday from a prospecting trip in Arkansas, he says that country doesn't look good to him. wife and children spent the holidays visiting relatives at Cleburne, also returning Mon-
 - J. G. Bryant and family will live on a farm on route one out of Chillicothe this next year. Mr. Bayant owns a nice farm west of here, but has has rented to another party for the coming
 - With a cash market at Odell for your cream, a medium priced Separator on the installment plan, will pay for itself and if you milk three or four cows will pay your grocery bill too. See Swartwood & Co. Vernon. adv

Wilbarger Cotton Report

Vernon, Texas, Dec. 13, 1913-There were 9927 bales of cotton ginned in Wilbarger county as compared with 24299 ginned prior to Dec. 13, 1912.

> W. M. Hampton, Special Agent.

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank my friends of Odell and surrounding country towards me when with the Odell Lumber Company, and if I should ever be called on again to serve you in a public way I will age, to pound them with the show my appreciation as in the necessaries of life. past, giving in return, as always, honest treatment and "a square deal." Wishing eacs and everyone a Prosperous and Happy New Year I am yours truly,

Baptist Preacher Pounding

Rev. W. J. Darnall and wife will be surprised tonight when for their support and good will the members of the Baptist church and others of the town will meet at the Baptist parson

Rev. Darnall and family have just lately moved here from Vernon, but during their short stay in Odell has made many friends D. M. Kendall, in our town.

The Advertised Article

is one in which the merchant himself has implicit faith else he would not advertise it. You are safe in patronizing the merchants whose ads appear in this paper because their goods are up-to-date and never

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The New Year Right

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And Dallas Semi-

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Both papers for 1 year

\$1.50